

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date September 28, 2009



In re the Application of

Masahide MIURA

Application No.: 10/589,669

Filed: August 16, 2006

For: METAL OXIDE PARTICLE, PRODUCTION PROCESS THEREOF AND EXHAUST GAS PURIFYING CATALYST

Group Art Unit: 1793

Examiner: A. ZIMMER

Docket No.: 129110

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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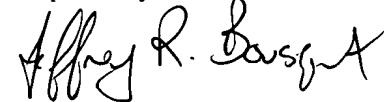
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired July 28, 2009, an extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 222367 in the amount of \$490.00 in payment for:

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